WHEREAS, During this traditional observance of National Engineers Week, it is appropriate that all citizens of South Dakota honor those talented and dedicated men and women whose achievements have been basic to our State's progress and development; and,

WHEREAS, As we face the challenges of uplifting the qualities of life within our State, it is indeed fitting that the emphasis Engineers place on their profession for the coming year is to help solve critical issues of today, such as our current energy shortage; and,

WHEREAS, The Engineering profession has chosen the theme "Engineers . . . Our Renewable Resource" to reaffirm the concept that it is people that face and solve problems; and,

WHEREAS, On behalf of a proud and grateful State, I pay tribute to all Engineers, having full confidence that their accomplishments will be invaluable in solving the serious environmental problems we face:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 17-23, 1979, as

ENGINEERS WEEK

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Sea' of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Seventh Day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty

WILLIAM J. SANKLON, GOVERNOR

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